NATIONAL BANK STOCKS.

Amer. Nat. Bank..... 1521/2 155 Capital Nat. Bank..... 227

TRUST COMPANY STOCKS.

SAVINGS BANK STOCKS.

TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS.

*Columbia Title Insur. 4 ... MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

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*Lincoln Nat. Bank. 160
Nat. Metrop. Bank. 201
Riggs Nat. Bank. 510
Second Nat. Bank. 143
Nat. Bank. 143

Amer. Sec. & Trust.... 260 Nat. Say. & Trust..... 275

Home Savings 420 *Bank of Com. & Sav... 12

Ger. Amer. Fire Ins.... 275

Washington Market ... 18 U. S. Realty Co..... 10

STOCKS TUMBLE,

Nervous Market

Today.

(Continued from First Page.)

ttributed this to the fact that he has

lose Washington connections. Today Baruch bought, to cover his

margin for profit-taking was a wide

one, according to reports current in

German Brokers Busy.

peculators were among the promi

sent bears, and according to street

reports, had advance information yes

terday regarding the President's in

tention to send a message to the bel-

The losses were materially increas

ed during the first fifteen or twenty

minutes, but the ticket lagged far

behind transactions on the floor and

anxious speculators w ere never

assured that their orders to sell at a

Soon after the market opened Indus

On opening sales Marine commo

NO LONGER WELCOME

balls that find their way down your

had to wade through slush that coxed

over the tops of his rubbers and soaked his feet. The same poet has never been splashed by soft dirty snow thrown from the wheels of an auto-

No one objects to the snow when it

become so disagreeable, but one pre-

fers many things to wandering about through slush, getting splashed by au-

RIVER AGAIN CLEAR

down stream, melting as it goes. Only

very quiet parts of the stream, near

the shore and sheltered from the

wind, have any smooth ice, and that

so thin the slightest weight breaks

The first real freeze of the year.

which covered the Potomac, with ice,

threatened to stop navigation, came

Tuesday, following exceedingly low

temperature during the night. One

or two small boats were frozen in, and

had to obtain the aid of a tug before

no trouble in forging through the weak obstruction.

I. C. C. APPOINTEE FOUGHT

Confirmation of W. M. Daniels Op-

posed in Senate.

the renomination of Winthrop M.

Daniels as member of the Interstate

Commerce Commission has appeared

A fight against his confirmation is

on, and while it is expected he will be confirmed, the opposition is made up

of a group of vigorous progressive Republican leaders, and they intend

to air their views in executive sea-

out of his rulings as public utilities commissioner of New Jersey, and be-cause he took a position in the ad-vance rate case which shippers and representatives of State commissions

Opposition to Mr. Daniels grows

Opposition to the confirmation of

could break away from the ice The larger boats, however, had

through.

in the Senate.

164% representatives 15% regarded as hostile.

omobiles.

The small boy st to blame.

falling, before it has had time to

Rails generally were not

given price could be carried out.

drops of two to three points.

The German crowd of bankers and

Arlington Fire Ins.... Firemen's Fire Ins....

Nat. Union Fire Ins.... Potomac Fire Ins....

*Bank of Com. & Sav. 12 East Wash. Sav. Bank. 12 *Sec. Sav. & Com. Bk. 150 FIRE INSURANCE STOCKS.

WALL ST. MARKET

Kelly SpT.

Lacled G.

Lehigh V... Loose W.

Lo &Nah.

Lorillard

Lorilld of

May DoS.

Miami Cop

MStL new

Mex Pet. .

M K&Ter.

M K&T p.

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112

13314

7136

3814

2814

16%

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2634

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2934

13534

69%

9634

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27

11344

5454

1954

1234

2014

8314

140%

10936

511/6

11894

9734

2834

36% 38% 36%

21314

10434

110

105

145

35

120

2136

10434

5294

9614

7014

4816

25

74

9716

1117

19%

5514

1216

2014

149%

109%

513%

61

10416

97%

2816

WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET.

POULTRY-Live hens, per 1b., 1761fc; roos-

100

27

10434

Phila Co..

Pitts Coal.

Press SO ...

RyStSpg . Rep Steel .

Rep St pf.

Seabd AL.

Sloss-Shef

Sothn Pac.

lothn Ry.

Soth Ry pf

Studebkr .

Stutz Mot.

Texas Co..

Texas Pac.

Tob Prod

Third AR.

Un Bag&P

Un CigSt .

Un Pac pf.

US IndAl

USSm&R.

USSteel p

UtahCop.

Utah Sec.

Va-CarC

ValC&C.

Westhee

West Md.

WMd of .

White Mot

WILLY OV.

WLE wi ...

WLE pr wi.. 50

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2334 86

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1534

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10214

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5256

2734

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2334 2134

5136

INDUSTRIAL LIST IS DOWN FROM 2 TO 8 POINTS

President's Note to Belligerent Powers Cause for Pressure. Losses in Steel and Copper Marine ct Groups Are From 2 TO 4 Mar ct pf. Points—Equipment and War Specialties Particularly Hard Hit.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21 .- A violent Mo Pac cte selling movement carried the indus- Mo Pac wi trial list in today's early stock mar- Nat Bis ... ket down 2 to 8 points or more, Nat Lead. caused by the unexpected news of the Nat Ldp. ! President's note to the belligerent Nat E&S .. nowers on the subject of peace, and Nev Cons. the purposes sought for in the con- NYCent .. tinued struggle.

Wall Street at once interpreted this comunication as another step toward NYAir Br. peace in the near future with the re- NYO&W . sult that those who had over extended accounts hastened to sell, and thus Nor Pac .. forcing considerable liquidation as a Nor Am ... result of increased margain require-ments and the elimination of weak accounts. Efforts were made with in-Ohio CGae different success to support the mar-Owens BM ket in the first hour. Opt Silver.

United States Steel opened 50,000 Pac Mail.. shares at 1041/2 to 1051/2, 31/2 to 21/2 points off, later rallying to some ex-Pan APetp tent, but still under pressure. Losses in the Steel and Copper groups were Peo Gas ... Penn RR . from 2 to 4 points.

The equipment and war specialties

particularly hard hit, Crucible Pitts Cct. Steel losing from six to seven points, American Locomotive five points; U. Industrial Alcohol over eight Ray Cons. points. The Mercantile Marine shares were erratic. The common lost over points at the opening and recovered a point or so. The preferred was strong at the opening, and later advanced to 8, 214 up.

The railroad list was forced down a point or so at the outset, but quickly recovered to fractional ad-SeaAL pf. Shattuck vances over the previous closing. StL SoW. An individual shipment of \$10,000,-SL SW pf SL SF w 1.

000 from Canada was forwarded to the Philadelphia mint. Today's Quotations. Quotations today up to 1:30 o'clock were as follows: Advance R 72 Ajax Rubr 7454 7434 Alaska G., Alaska Ju. 734 Al ChMfg. 2514 Tex Co rts 24% 25% Al Ch M p. 85% 8034 4534 Am Ag Ch. 8614 87 Am Can ... 4534 4434 A Can pf... 108 Am Carfy 50% A CotOil. E014 1314 Un Fruis. . Am H&L. 13% 1314 28% Us Rub. . 18% 49% USRb 1 p. 4914 USR& Ref Am Loco. 703 7214 USS&R p. A Loco p. 103 105 105 10134 10256 USSteel .. 103 10414 A Smelt p. 11314 113% 113% 11374 A Steel Fy . 10734 10734 103 10944 12534 125% 125 213% 213% Va-Car pf 214 214 41 WestUT... Asstd Oil . 118 At CLine. 118 118 118 A T&SF ... 10214 10334 104 10214 A TASF p. 100% 100% 100% 10014 At GWI .. 93 100 A GWI pf. 6434 Balt & O .. 8434 Bald Locp Barrett ... Beth Stl . . 500 509 495 Beth Stl p. 13817 13814 13814 BUTTER-Eigin print. 4044; Eigin, 2044; process, Eigin, store packed, 2024c. EGGS-Nearby, Cotte; Southern, 4024c. CHEESE-New York State, factory, new, Bkn R T 82 Brown S .. Burns Bros Bush Ter 4134 4134 4134 Butte Sup. Cal Petm.. 2534 Cal Pet pf. Can Pac. . 167 Cen Lthr .. Cen Lthr p 113% 11354 Chandler . Ches Oh .. 65% 4154 Chi GtW p 414 Chi &NW. 15454 12434 CMASt P. 9232 9235 C RILP Chile Cop. 2436 Col Fuel 1. 4434 Cluett P ... Col G&E .. Com TR Col So 1 p. 5734 5734 Con Calhn 21 21 Cons Gas.. 132 132 13014 13014 Crate.

DRESSED MEATS—Pork, small to medium, ib. 12@13c; heavy, ib., 12c.

(JAME—Rabbits No. 1, per doz., \$2.0094.80; No. 2, per doz., \$1.5092.00. Corn Prd.. 2314 2314 2214 2236 Con Can. . 8434 8434 Con Ins... Cruc Steel. 5214 5214 Cruc Stl p. 112 112 112 Whitney Close—Barney Tendler to Sarah Tenn, lot 34, square 2048, \$10. 2303 Seventeenth street northwest—Albert B. Ogle et ux. to William F. Ogle, lot 37, block 6. Meridian Hill, \$10. Mt. Pleasant and Pleasant Plains—Marie L. Taylor to Jesse M. Shreve, lot 82, block 16, \$10. Jesse M. Shreve conveys same prop-erty to D. H. Roland Drury, \$10. 112 4534 46 9256 Cuba C pf. 9214 9216 Del Hud.. 148 148 Den RGr.. 18 2 18 Den RG p. Distilra S. 2812 2814 Dome M. 1934 1934 19% Elec Stor .. 6434 6434 6414 6434 Erie 3514 3414 3454 Erie I p .. 49 4936 Erie 2p ... 4014 4014 40 40 Fed MSp. 40% 40% 40 40 3714 3716 3714 Gen Elec.. Goodrich . 57 Granby .. Gt Nor pf. 117 117 116 GN Ore ct 3514 Greene C .. 4214 4316 4236 Gulf 88... 130 130 8814 90% Hvst Crp.. Ill Cent .. 10514 106 106

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401

4014

40

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40%

102

OR BONDS

can Graphophone Is Down.

only other transaction recorded. A number of dividend announements

of local concerns were made today They include a regular quarterly divi-dend of 21-2 per ent of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company, payable January 1 to shoreholders of record December 23; a quarterly divi-dend of 2 per cent of the American National Bank, payable January 1, to holders of record December 26; and a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent of the Second National, payable the same time and under the same ondi-11254 tions as the Amerian National. The diretors of the Firemen's Insurance Company of Washington and George-1914 town announced a regular semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent, payable January 2 to holders of record December

\$3 a share to its stockholders of record December 23, payable January 1. ings, on or before February 5, under In a letter to stockholders advising and 82. them of the terms and dates of the On on the stock offer. President A. H. broke

ital stock of the company is \$400. 000,000, of which \$249,590,460 is out-11134 standing, \$100,000,000 is reserved for the conversion of the twenty-year 6 per cent convertible debenture bonds Pedestrians Find Ankle-Deep Slush Pelashmutt, J. Henri \$5% of 1915, and \$50,409,540 is issuable 52% when and as determined by the board 2734

ing today, are expected to vote an ex-tra dividend. The dividend is not expected to be in the nature of a melor but will simply represent a small

ng of stockholders to be held January 31 next, to consider a proposed increase of capital stock of the company from \$15,000,000 to \$60,000,000. he increase to be effected by raising the par value of stock from \$25 to 100. This would represent a 300 per ent stock increase

TODAY'S SALES.

Washington Gas 5's, \$200910014, Graphophone 1st 6's, \$1,0009101*. Washington Railway Pfd., 49814, Lanston Monotype, 126744. After Call-Mergenthaler, 10%164%

•	GOVERNMENT B	ONDS.	
		Bid.	Aske
ò	U. S. Reg. 2's	99%	***
ı	U. S. Coupon 2's	99.54	200
	U. S. Reg. 3's	100%	0.00
۴.	U. S. Reg. 3's U. S. Coupon 3's	100 %	***
ž	U. S. Reg. 4's	109 %	
4	U. S. Reg. 4's U. S. Coupon 4's	110%	
ч	D. C. 3.65's	10314	
ď	GAS BONDS		***
4	Geo. Gas. Cert. Ind. 5's		
	Georgetown Gas 5's	104%	100
1	Wash, Gas 5's	106	106
-1	Col. Gas & Elec. 5's		106
-1	Col. Gas & Elec. 3 s.	89	5.6.4
ı,	Col. Gas & Elec. Deb. 5's RAILROAD BO	80	1.4.4
X.	Cap. Traction R. R. 5's		The section
			106
	Ana. Pot. Guar. 5's	100	
	Ana. & Pot. 5's	29.94	14.63
	City & Suburban 5's		103
ij	Metro. R. R. 5's		105
1	Wash. Ry. & Elec 4's	81 %	82
1	MISCELLANEOUS	BOND	
-	Potomac Elec. Cons. 5's.	101	101
-1	Potomac Elec. Lt. 5's	10414	106
1	C. & P. Telephone 5's	1041	
-	Amer. Tel. & Tel. 4's		105
Л			***
ч	Amer. Tel. & Tel. 41/2's.		(0.00
-1	Amer. Grapho. 1st 6's		102
	D. C. Paper Mfg. 5'8		100
П	Wash. Market 5's 1927	26	101
-1	THE PARTY OF THE P	(A) 10 (A)	79.00.00

Georgetown Gas..... 60

TYPE MACHINE STOCKS.

OPEN TO VISITORS Teachers' Club Room Thrown Open to Public for Inspection.

The Teachers' Club room, at 602 Eleventh street northwest, will be open to visitors this afternoon after 4 o'clock. Stationery of the club will be on sale to teachers at that hour. Tomorrow the club will be open 4214 from 10 a. m. to noon and from 4 to 6 p. m. Teachers who have not been *Capital Traction..... 82 able to avail themselves of the cour-Wash. Ry. & Flec. com. . Wash. Ry. & Elec. pfd. . 10514 tesies of the club are invited to do so

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

MORE GOLD FROM CANADA. *Amer. Tel. & Tel. 125 1/2 Amer. Tel. & Tel. rights 1% NEW YORK, Dec. 21 .- J. P. Morgan 102 Canada at the assay office today.
164 making total importations from all
254 sources for the year \$616,700,000. *Mergenthaler Linotype. 160 Lanston Monotype..... 7416

LOCAL MARKET

6634 734 4234

2414

36%

1514

142

10414

LITTLE DEMAND FOR STOCKS

Mergenthaler Linotype Settles Down to Lowest Level in in Monthly Selling-Many Local Concerns Announce Dividends—Lanston Monotype Slightly Active-Ameri-

There was practically no demand for either stocks or bonds at today's session of the Washington Stock Exof brokers for execution were apparchange. The few orders in the hands ently all of the selling kind, and securities had to be offered at fractional recessions to attract buyers. Mergenthaler Linotype stock, which sold yesterday at 167 and 167%, was sold today at 163%, the lowest level toucked by this stock in recent months. The offering was only a tenstare lot, but reflects the stagnant condition of the market. The belief is expressed in financial circles that many local investors who were caught in the present slump in the New York market are making sacri-fices of their holdings to enable them to hold on to their securities there. A twelve-share lot of Lanston Mon-otype stock sold for 74½. A \$1,000 first 6 per cent bond of the American Graphophone Company, which has been one of the most popular bonds on the local exchange in recent months, and which bonds have been selling at 102 to 10214 recently, today at 101. A \$500 Washington ington Railway and Electric 4 was sold for 82%. Four shares of Rail-way preferred stock at 81 was the

24, and Merhants Transfer and Storage Company announces a dividend of tral of record January 2, will be trial Alcohol showed a nine-point loss given opportunity to subscribe to new stock of the company at par, to the hard hit as Industrials, but Reading the decision of the board of directors to market an additional \$25,000,000 of Payments for the subscriptions are to be made on and after January 20.

mith, said:
"The authorized amount of the cap- 87.

al stock of the common to the cap- 87.

of directors. The stock now offered May the patron saint of the small for subscription is part of the stock boys who prayed for snow bless them, Westinghouse Electric and Manufac dodge between the vehicles at a busy

I per cent per annum. Union Pacific directors, at the meet-

onus to stockholders.
Ohlo Oil Company has called a meet-

Washington Railway 4's, \$500@\$35. LOCAL BOND MARKET.

GOTERNALENT BONDS.	
Bid.	Asked
U. S. Reg. 2's 99%	
U. S. Coupon 2's 99%	
U. S. Reg. 3's 100%	
U. S. Coupon 3's 100%	124
U. S. Coupon 4's 11054	***

	111
GAS BONDS.	
	222
	106
Wash. Gas 5's 106	10616
Col. Gas & Elec. 5's 89 Col. Gas & Elec. Deb. 5's 80	5.7.4
Col. Gas & Elec. Deb. 5's 80 RAILROAD BONDS	1.64
Cap. Traction R. R. 5's 106	*****
Ana. Pot. Guar. 5's 100	10614
Ana. & Pot. 5's 994	* * *
Ana. & Pot. 5's 59% City & Suburban 5's 102%	103
Metro, R. R. 5's 10414	105 16
Wash. Ry. & Elec 4's 81%	82
MISCELLANEOUS BONDS	
Potomac Elec. Cons. 5's. 101	101 %
Potomac Elec. Lt. 5's 104 1/4	10616
C. & P. Telephone 5's 1044	105 14
Amer. Tel. & Tel. 4's 96	100%
Amer. Tel. & Tel. 416's 10516	
Amer. Grapho. 1st 6's 101	102
D. C. Paper Mfg. 5's	100
Wash, Market 5's 1927. 96	101
Wash, Market 5's 1947 96	101
W. M. Cold Storage 5's 98	101
N. & W. Steamboat 5's 105 %	
Riggs Real. 5's (long) 10114	(8.5.9)
Riggs Real, 5's (short) 101	(8.8.8)
U. S. Realty 5's 104	***
	2.5.6
PUBLIC UTILITY STOCK	S.

HARPER ANNOUNCES ANOTHER COMMITTEE

naugural Chairman Names One Hundred Citizens on Court of Honor.

The personnel of the Court of Honor committee, having charge of the President's reviewing stands and other stands in front of the White House for the inaugural parade, was announced today by Chairman Robrt N. Harper.

The committee is composed of 100 epresentative citizens. It will provide for the decoration, illumination and management of the entire court of honor, with the approach from Fifteenth to Seventeenth street. The list contains the names of many artists, architects, sculptors, designers, civil, mechanical, and electrical engineers, builders, and other men believed to be especially qualified for

Omitted Through Error.

Through a clerical error in transcribing the names of the central in augural committee, over which Chairman Harper presides, the names of **DUE TO PEACE NOTE** the justices of the District Court of Appeals and the District Supreme Court were left out. The list should have included Chief Justice Seth Shepard, Justices Charles H. Robb "War Brides" Hardest Hit in and Josiah Van Orsdale, of the Appeals Court; Chief Justice J. Harry Covington and Justices Ashley M Gould, Wendell P. Stafford, Walter I. McCoy, Frederick L. Siddons, and William Hitz. of the Supreme Court. In announcing the personnel of the court of honor committee today,

Chairman Harper said: "It is our intention to make the short selling of yesterday. At the court of honor for this inauguration two-day break ranged from six to the most beautiful speciacle, both by court of honor for this inauguration more than twenty five points, Baruck's day and by night, that Washington has ever afforded. The presence on the committee of Captain Watson, the officer in charge of the State, War and Navy building; Mr. Wilmeth, chief clerk of the Treasury Department; Mr. Suter, secretary to the Attorney General; Mr. Putman, clerk of the Court of Claims; Mr. Evans, of Riggs Bank, and Mr. Howe, of the American Security and Trust Com-pany, assures in advance perfect unity of action and harmony of decoration and management of the approaches from Fifteenth street to Madison place and from Seventeenth street to Jackson place.

"In its endeavors to surpass all previous occasions, this committee will have the earnest support of myself and my advisory committee.

Personnel of Committee.

The committee selected in: James 8. Easby Smith, chairman; Clifford K. showed a point loss at 105 % and Union Pacific was down 1 % at 146%. Berryman, vice chairman: J. Edwin Albinson, secretary, and the follow-Crucible increased its loss to eigh ing members: points, selling at 53. Coppers gener-

Major Samuel T. Ansell, U. S. A. ally apt 53. Coppers generally showed Snowden Ashford, Henry A. Baker. Walter C. Balderston, Harry A. L. Barker, Ralph P. Barnard, Paul W. Bartlett, Glenn Brown, Ward Brown, Evans Browne, H. Ralph Burton, Harry R. Carroll, Appleton P. Clark, r., Michael J. Colbert W. S. Corby oseph H. Cranford, Andrew J. Cum-Joseph H. mings, J. Harry Cunningham, Edwin W. Davis, Harold Davis, William R. Donn, Charles A. Douglas, B. Drake. May the patron saint of the small U. S. J. Dunbar, Frank H. Edmonds, Whiting Estes, Thomas J. Pisher, Ralph B. Fleharty, H. Prescott Gatley. for surely the pedestrain who endeavers Peyton Gordon, Philip F. Gormley, E. C. Graham, Morris Hacker, Warren B. Of course the small boy cannot be really and wholly blamed for the fall of snow, but he is the logical goat. Johnson, jr. William F. Jones, Michael It is he who shouts and throws snow-

Johnson, jr. William F. Jones, Michael J. Keane, Dr. J. Thomas Kelley, jr., J. Miller Kenyon, George T. Kolb, W. P. Lipscomb, Dr. Wilson P. Ma-The poet who wrote about the snow, lone, William J. Marsh, J. Rush Mar the snow, the beautiful snow, never shall, Frank P. Milburn, Charles Mor lone, William J. Marsh, J. Rush Marris, Fred D. Owen, Brainard W. Parker, the top of a high cedar yesterday, James L. Parsons, Robert B. Patter breaking his neck and dying in-James L. Parsons, Robert B. Parson, Paul Pearson, Arthur Peter, Wallstantly.

Son, Paul Pearson, Arthur M. Poynton.

The father had promised his children had been had

son, Paul Pearson, Arthur Peter, Warter G. Peter, Arthur M. Poynton.
George C. Pumphrey, Samuel A. Putman, Frederic B. Pyie.
Charles W. Ray, George Conrad
Reid, Hugh Reilly, Thomas Ruffin.
Reid, Hugh Reilly, Commander Reid, Hugh Reilly, Thomas Ruffin, Richard O. Sanderson, Commander Thomas J. Senn. U. S. N.; B. Stanley Simmons, J. Henry Small, John Lewis Smith, William S. Spencer, Fred W. Steckman, John P. Story, Dr. Robert Y. Sullivan, John T. Suter, Nelson S. Thompson, George Oakley Totten, jr.: Frank L. Wagner, Ernest G. Walker, Potomac.

The thin ice which covered the Potomac river from shore to shore yesterday, is nearly gone today, Break-ing up in cakes, the ice is floating down stream.

FINANCIAL

FINANCIAL

Surplus and Undivided Profits, over \$575,000.00 RESOURCES, over\$10,000,000.00

.....\$750,000.00

THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK

THE BANK OF PERSONAL SERVICE Corner Fourteenth and G Sts.

INSTEAD OF MAKING CASH GIFTS

-This Christmas, adopt the wiser plan of opening SAVINGS ACCOUNTS in this bank for those you usually remember with money. Such gifts constantly increase in value-inculcate ideals of thrift. One Dollar or more will open an account in OUR SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.

FULL INTEREST on every dollar for ACTUAL NUMBER OF DAYS ON DEPOSIT.

3% INTEREST PAID ON DAILY BALANCES 3% Ashton G. ClaphamPresident Tucker K. Sands......Vice President and Cashier

Herbert V. Hunt Assistant Cashier

VOTE ON RAISE FOR BRIDGE PARTIES ON TRAIN Special Carries National Park Sem-D. C. CLERKS TODAY inary Girls to Chicago. A special train, composed of sleep-ing cars, parlor cars, and diners, left

Forest Glen, Md., today with a pas-

senger list composed of the young ladies of the National Park Seminary.

The train will proceed directly to Chicago, where it will make connection with trains for the West, Mrs. C. H. White accompanied the girls as

OF STEALING AUTO

James E. Keady, 18, of Alexan-

dria, to Face United States

Grand Jury.

ALEXANDRIA, Dec. 21.-At a pre-

liminary hearing before United States

Commissioner Louis N. Duffy yester-

day afternoon, James E. Keady, aged

eighteen, was held for the United

States grand jury on a charge of

stealing an automobile owned by Ken-

neth Dove, at Occoquan, several months ago. He is alleged to have

used it in making a trip to the North and was captured at Scranton, Pa

The theft having occurred on a Gov-ernment reservation, he was turned over to Deputy United States Marshal

Considerable interest is taken here

in a case just argued in Richmond in the United States Circuit Court, on

appeal in a suit for \$25,000 damages brought by Mrs. Virginia McGuinn for

the death of her husband, Henry Mc-Guinn, who was killed in an accident at Edsall's station, Fairfax county,

On tris lof the case in the Federal

court in this city last January, the jury awarded \$3,000 to the plaintiff.

Moore, Keith, McCandless & Hall, of

On in Elect Officers.

Nest, No. 1779, has elected the fol-

lowing officers: R. P. Whitestone,

president; George S. Finch, vice presi-

dent; W. H. Thorpe, recording secre-

tary: R.M. Prettyman, financial secre

Estes, invocator; Raymond Lyles, warden; A. J. Gladweil, sentinel; A. M. Sunderlin, picket; R. M. Prettyman, George S. Finch, and E. T. Estes, trus-

Johnsthan Matthews, aged eighty, a Confederate veteran and former merchant of this city, died at his

home, 211 Prince atreet, last night.

He is survived by two daughters who resided with him. The funeral will be held tomorrow at Hillsboro, Vs.

Louis Williams was arrested last night for violation of the prohibition

law in having upon his person three quarts of liquor, and was held for the grand jury.

Church Xmas Treat.

The Free Methodist Church Sabbath

school will hold its Christmas exer-

cises on Friday night at 7:45. The

The contract for remodeling the house at the corner of Washington

and Cameron streets, purchased by

the First Baptist Church for a par-

sonage, was awarded last night to

KILLED PLAYING SANTA

Mechanic Breaks Neck in Attempt

nan effort to get "a real Christ-

to Cut Christmas Tree.

mas tree" for his wife and five little

children, who waited impatiently for

him to return, George Hayho, brick-

layer, of Mt. Rainier, Md., fell from

INDIAN LAND TO BE SOLD.

BILLINGS. Mont., Dec. 21.—Ap-proximately 110,000 acres of lands in

the Big Horn and Big Little Horn River Valley within the Crow Indian

public is cordially invited.

J. D. Knigha

neighbors, dead.

tary: Raymond Lyles, treasurer;

The local order of Owls, Alexandria

Fairfax, represent the railway com

heim.

attorneys for Mrs. McGuinn are P. Harlow and Charles Bend-n. R. B. Tunstall, of Norfolk, and

William S. Schoeni, of this city.

who live in and near Chicago

HELD ON CHARGE

House Expected to Pass Appropriation Bill Before Nightfall.

chaperon. Arrangements have been made, it was stated, for teas and bridge parties on the train. (Continued from First Page.) cutive and judicial appropriation bill, approved several days ago, granting a 10 per cent increase to employes receiving less than \$1,200, and a 5 per cent increase to employes receiving from \$1,200 to \$1,500 inclusive.

Exceptions Are Made. As drawn, the amendment exempts from the salary benefits employes of the District police, fire, and public chool departments and those draw ing subsistence allowances. Howwith a subsistence allowance re-ceives less than \$1,200 he may be

This amendment, framed by the Page subcommittee of the Appropriations Committee, is open to amend-

given a 5 per cent increase despite

Mr. Page said the police and fire departments and the public schools had been omitted because there were salary increases in these branches either last year or this.

Mr. Mann and other members intimated an amendment would be ered to include these departments.

Approved All Sections.

When the House gult work on the District bill late yesterday it had approved all sections up to and including that relating to the Health De partment. Points of order were not raised against specific salary increases Commissioners, whose raise of \$1,000 went out on a point of order ,suffered.

The House left in the bill legislation for an annual tax return on auto-mobiles, in lieu of a license fee; all street appropriations; recommendations for school extensions and improvements :a new highway plan in the Barry Farm subdivision, the tuber-

ban station house to cost \$32,500.

The house had previously stricken out on points of order legislation for "true consideration" in deeds; changes in the tax assessors officer; an underground trolley and electric wire sys tem on Georgia avenue extended, and fit asessment area in street condemna

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